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SUBJECT: KAZAKHSTAN: RESPONSE TO BLUE LANTERN LEVEL 3 PRE-LICENSE  
END-USE CHECK ON LICENSE 050187693

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11. (U) Sensitive but unclassified. Not for public Internet.

12. (SBU) On January 12, PolOff received the Kazakhstani Ministry of Foreign Affairs diplomatic note Number 10-2/4818, responding to Post's diplomatic note Number 0758-09, dated September 28, 2009 (reftel).

13. (SBU) An unofficial translation of the original Kazakh text of the dipnote follows.

BEGIN TEXT:

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Kazakhstan presents its compliments to the Embassy of the United States of America, and, in response to the Embassy's Note 0758-09 of September 28, 2009, informs the United States that the Ministry of Defense of the Republic of Kazakhstan confirms the order for the delivery of McMillan TAC-50 rifles and ammunition, and informs the United States that Republican State Enterprise "KazSpetsExport" and "Samros Group Limited" signed contract Number 1/2009, dated March 24, 2009, for the delivery of the aforementioned weapons and ammunition. The total value of the items to be delivered is \$75,512, and this amount was fully paid on April 16, 2009, by the Kazakhstani side.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Kazakhstan avails itself of this occasion to renew to the Embassy of the United States of America the assurances of its highest consideration.

END TEXT.

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